

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A stabilized thermoplastic polyurethane comprising

- (i) one or more phenolic antioxidants and
- (ii) one or more metal deactivators selected from the group consisting of 2-(2-benzimidazolyl)phenol, 3-(2-imidazolin-2-yl)-2-naphthol, 2-(2-benzoxazolyl)phenol, 4-diethylamino-2,2'-dioxo-5-ethylazobenzenes, 3-methyl-4-(2-oxy-5-methylphenylazo)-1-phenyl-5-pyrazolones, tris(2-tert-butyl-4-thio(2'methyl-4'hydroxy-5'tert-butyl)phenyl-5-methyl)phenyl phosphite, decamethylenedicarboxy-disalicyloylhydrazides, 3-salicyloylamino-1,2,4-triazole, 2',3-bis-((3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-propionyl))propionhydrazide, 2,2'-oxamidobis-(ethyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-propionates), derivatives of hydrazine, derivatives of oxamide, triazole derivatives of salicylaldehyde and hydrazine derivatives of salicylaldehyde.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): A thermoplastic polyurethane as claimed in claim 1, comprising (i) said one or more antioxidants in an amount of from 0.1 to 5% by weight and (ii) said one or more metal deactivators in an amount of from 0.01 to 2.5% by weight, based on the total weight of the TPU.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): A thermoplastic polyurethane as claimed in claim 1, further 1 or 2, additionally comprising

- (iii) one or more flameproofing agents.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): A metal deactivator concentrate for the preparation of ~~[[a]]~~ said stabilized thermoplastic polyurethane as claimed in claim 1, ~~any of claims 1 to 3~~, comprising thermoplastic polyurethane and one or more metal deactivators (ii) in an amount of from more than 2.5 to 40% by weight, based on the total weight of the thermoplastic polyurethane.

Claim 5 (Canceled).

Claim 6 (Original): A film-laminated flat conductor comprising thermoplastic polyurethane.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): A film-laminated flat conductor as claimed in claim 6, which comprises stabilized thermoplastic polyurethane comprising (i) one or more antioxidants and (ii) one or more metal deactivators.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A film-laminated flat conductor ~~as claimed in claim 6 or 7~~, which comprises ~~is composed of~~

two films of thermoplastic polyurethane or two films of said stabilized thermoplastic polyurethane as claimed in claim 1 ~~any of claims 1 to 3~~ adhering to one another,

a metal strip or a plurality of metal strips having a thickness of from 1 to ~~500 mm~~ 500 μm being laminated between ~~the~~ said films.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): A process for the production of ~~[[a]]~~ said film-laminated flat conductor as claimed in claim 6, the process comprising: ~~any of claims 6 to 8~~ by

providing two TPU films and then incorporating metal strips between ~~the~~ said two films

or

by coextruding TPU films with one or more metal strips.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): ~~The use of a film-laminated flat conductor as claimed in any of claims 6 to 8 in~~ A method of preparing a means of transport, an electrical apparatus or a machine, said method comprising:

preparing said film-laminated flat conductor as claimed in claim 6 in the form of said means of transport, said electric apparatus or said machine. ~~apparatuses and machines.~~

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): An electrical apparatus, machine and/or means of transport comprising ~~[[a]]~~ said film-laminated flat conductor as claimed in claim 6. ~~any of claims 6 to 8.~~

Claim 12 (New): A method of producing a film, a roller, a fiber, a cladding in automobiles, a hose, a cable connector, a bellow, a trailing cable, a cable sheath, a seal, a belt and/or a film-laminated flat conductor, the method comprising:

forming the stabilized thermoplastic polyurethane as claimed in claim 1 into said film, said roller, said fiber, said cladding in automobiles, said hose, said cable connector, said bellow, said trailing cable, said cable sheath, said seal, said belt and/or said film-laminated flat conductor.